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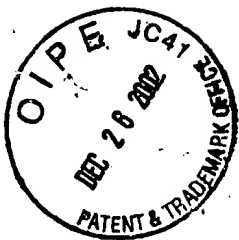
In reply to the first Office Action dated September 27, 2002, please amend the above patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of providing data to a passive device comprising:
- (a) identifying a location of a system that has control over communications of an active device associated with said passive device; and

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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Total Claims	19	Minus	19	0	x \$18.00	\$00
Independent Claims	4	Minus	4	0	x \$84.00	\$0
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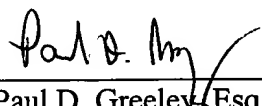
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December 20, 2002

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